



ICHTHYOLOGY

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New Listings



Scott#	Denom	Common Name/Scientific Name	Family/Subfamily	Code
ARUBA				
		29 February 2016 (Fish) (Set/5)		
472	90c	Black (Rock) Beauty, <i>Holacanthus tricolor</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
473	130c	Bluehead Wrasse, <i>Thalassoma bifasciatum</i>	Labridae	A
474	205c	Longfin Damselfish, <i>Stegastes diencaeus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
475	220c	Blue Tang Surgeonfish, <i>Acanthurus coeruleus</i>	Acanthuridae	A
476	320c	Blackbar Soldierfish, <i>Myripristis jacobus</i>	Holocentridae	A
AUSTRALIA				
		1 March 2016 (Items Starting with Same Letter) (Strip/5 & Bklt/10)		
4454	\$1	Shark (toy)		S
4456a	\$1	Horiz Strip/5 (Sc#4452-56) (perf 14½×14)		
4459	\$1	Shark (toy)		S
4459a	\$1	Bklt/10 (Sc#4459) (die cut 11½)		
BERMUDA				
		21 May 2015 (Fish) (Set/5)		
1093	35c	Bicolor Coney, <i>Cephalopholis fulva</i>	Serranidae	A
1094	70c	Blue Angelfish, <i>Holacanthus bermudensis</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
1095	80c	Gray Snapper, <i>Lutjanus griseus</i>	Lutjanidae	A
1096	85c	Queen Parrotfish, <i>Scarus vetula</i>	Scaridae	A
1097	95c	Yellowhead Wrasse, <i>Halichoeres garnoti</i>	Labridae	A
BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA (Serb)				
		2 September 2015 (World Fly Fishing Championships Jajce) (SS/2)		
531a	1.70m	Grayling, <i>Thymallus thymallus</i>	Salmonidae	A
531b	2.70m	Brown Trout, <i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	A
CAMBODIA				
		8 August 2011 (Fish) (Set/5 & SS/1)		
2394	500r	Tinfoil Barb, <i>Barbonymus schwanenfeldii</i>	Cyprinidae	A
2395	1500r	no common name, <i>Hypsibarbus lagleri</i>	Cyprinidae	A
2396	2800r	no common name, <i>Puntioplites falcifer</i>	Cyprinidae	A
2397	3000r	no common name, <i>Osteochilus melanopleurus</i>	Cyprinidae	A
2398	3500r	Hampala Barb, <i>Hampala macrolepidota</i>	Cyprinidae	A
2399	SS 6000r	U/I fish with fishermen & nets		U
CENTRAL AFRICA				
		20 December 2011 (Kingfishers) (MS/4 & SS/1)		
1535	Margin	UL: U/I small fish in bird's beak		C U Z
1561	SS 2400fr	U/I small fish in bird's beak		U C
20 December 2011 (Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)				
1542a	650fr	Great Barracuda, <i>Sphyraena barracuda</i>	Sphyraenidae	A
1542b	650fr	Queen Triggerfish, <i>Balistes vetula</i>	Balistidae	A
1542c	650fr	Emperor Angelfish, <i>Pomacanthus imperator</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
1542d	650fr	Elegant Unicornfish, <i>Naso elegans</i>	Acanthuridae	A
1568	SS 2400fr	Chevron Tang, <i>Ctenochaetus hawaiiensis</i>	Acanthuridae	A
29 December 2011 (Works of Ivan Aivozovsyj) (MS/7)				
1823f	400fr	U/I fish? ("Pecheurs sur Littoral")		U

CHINA (Taiwan)		20 April 2016 (Taitung County, Lany Island) (MS/4)	
4297c	\$10	Fishing Boat	R
CHINA (People's Republic)		5 June 2015 (World Environment Day)	S
4281	\$1.20	Stylized fish	
COOK ISLANDS		5 August 2015 (Cook Islands Stamps) (MS/15)	B
1537i	40c	Royal Angelfish, <i>Pygoplites diacanthus</i> (Sc#O68 s-o-s)	Pomacanthidae
CROATIA		22 February 2016 (Pet Fish) (Block/4)	
980a	3.10k	Angelfish	Pomacentridae
980b	3.10k	Goldfish, <i>Carassius auratus</i>	Cyprinidae
980c	3.10k	Guppy, <i>Poecilia reticulata</i>	Poeciliidae
980d	3.10k	Siamese Fighting Fish, <i>Betta splendens</i>	Belontiidae
		7 July 2016 (Fish)	
1001	5.80k	Ocellated Wrasse, <i>Halichoeres melasma</i>	Labridae
CYPRUS		9 July 2015 (Mediterranean Sea & Cypriot Boats)	
1239	75c	Fishing boats (no fish)	R
DENMARK		4 January 2016 (Nordic Food Culture) (SS/2 & 2ea Bklt/5)	
1732a	8k	Stylized fish	S
1732b	8k	Stylized flatfish	S
1733	8k	Stylized fish	S
1733a		Bklt/5 (Sc#1733) (s/a)	
1734	8k	Stylized flatfish	S
1734a		Bklt/5 (Sc#1734) (s/a)	
ECUADOR		29 September 2015 (150th anniv. ExpoAFE) (MS/25)	
2163w	75c	Stylized fish (on flag S. Pierre and Miquelon Sc#136)	C S
FALKLAND ISLANDS		21 August 2015 (Wildlife) (Set/4)	
1143	75p	European Sprat, <i>Sprattus sprattus</i>	Clupeidae
FRANCE		1 October 2014 (Sense of Smell) (Bklt/12)	
4688	(61c)	Stylized fish with clothespin on nose	S
4693a		Bklt/12 (Sc#4682–93) (s/a)	
		29 June 2015 (Recreation) (Bklt/12)	
4826	(68c)	Stylized fish with snorkel	S
4836a		Bklt/12 (Sc#4825–36) (s/a)	
		31 July 2015 (Animal Eyes) (Bklt/12)	
4841	(76c)	Whitetip Reef Shark, <i>Triaenodon obesus</i>	Carcharhinidae
4851	(76c)	Scrawled Filefish, <i>Aluterus scriptus</i>	Monacanthidae
4852a		Bklt/12 (Sc#4841–52) (s/a)	
FRENCH POLYNESIA		6 November 2014 (Office of Posts & Telecommunication) (2ea Bklt/10)	
1138	(75fr)	Stylized fish	S
1138a		Bklt/10 (Sc#1138)	
1139	(100fr)	Stylized fish	S
1139a		Bklt/10 (Sc#1139)	
		12 December 2014 (Legend of Pipiri Ma)	
1140	75fr	Stylized shark	S
		29 January 2015 (Occupations) (Set/4)	
1141	10fr	U/I fish (spear fisherman with catch)	U B

FRENCH POLYNESIA (continued)		26 March 2015 (Cartoon)		
1146	75fr	Stylized fish Mama Dolphin at Sea Post Office		S
		14 August 2015 (Tropical Architecture) (Set/2)		
1153	100fr	U/I fish (with houses)		U C
		16 December 2015 (Papeete Market) (Set/3)		
1160	140fr	Fish vendors		R
GREAT BRITAIN (Isle of Man)		10 April 2015 (Tynwald Tapestry Millennium) (Strip/5 & Bklt/12)		
1713d	(42p)	Herring, <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Clupeidae	A
1718	(42p)	Herring, <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Clupeidae	A
1719	(42p)	Fishing Industry (any fish?)		U R
1719a		Bklt/12 (3ea Sc#1715, 1717 & 2ea Sc#1716, 1718–19)		
		1 October 2015 (Art of Bryan Kneale) (Block/10)		
1758f	44p	Stylized fish ("The Deemster Fish")		S
GREECE		9 July 2015 (Fishing Boat) (Sgl & Bklt/2)		
2692	€3	Fishing boat (perf 13½×13¾)		R
2692a	€3	Fishing boat (perf 13½ vert)		R
2692b		Bklt/2 (Sc#2692a)		
		20 July 2015 (Diving) (Set/6 & Bklt/10)		
2695	80c	U/I fish with sponges		U C
2699	80c	U/I fish with sponges		U C
2700a		Bklt/10 (5ea Sc#2699–2700)		
GREENLAND		21 March 2016 (Greenlandic Foods) (Set/2 & SS/2)		
725	12k	Capelin, <i>Mallotus villosus</i> (perf 12½)	Osmeridae	A
725a	12k	Capelin, <i>Mallotus villosus</i> (perf 13×13¾)	Osmeridae	A
726b		SS/2+label (Sc#725a–26a)		
grenada		8 December 2014 (WWF) (2ea Block or Strip/4)		
4020a	\$1.25	Oceanic Whitetip Shark, <i>Carcharhinus longimanus</i> (pilot fish)	Carcharhinidae	A
4020b	\$1.25	Same species (and ocean ripples)	Carcharhinidae	A
4020c	\$1.25	Same species (two sharks)	Carcharhinidae	A
4020d	\$1.25	Same species (head)	Carcharhinidae	A
4021a	\$2.75	Same species (and pilot fish)	Carcharhinidae	A
4021b	\$2.75	Same species (and ocean ripples)	Carcharhinidae	A
4021c	\$2.75	Same species (two sharks)	Carcharhinidae	A
4021d	\$2.75	Same species (head)	Carcharhinidae	A
		28 May 2015 (Sailboats in Art) (MS/6 & SS/1)		
4046a	\$3.15	"Fishing Boats at Sea" by Claude Monet (no fish)		R
4046d	\$3.15	"Fishing Boats" by Joaquin Sorolla (no fish)		R
4047	SS \$10	"Fishing Boats on the Beach at Saintes-Maries-de-la-Mer" by Vincent van Gogh		R
grenada grenadines		18 May 2015 (Art of Qi Baishi) (MS/6)		
2916d	\$3.15	U/I fish		U
GUATEMALA		25 September 2015 (Coral Reef Marine Life) (Set/4 & SS/4)		
713	5q	French Angelfish, <i>Pomacanthus paru</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
714	6.50q	Stoplight Parrotfish, <i>Sparisoma viride</i>	Scaridae	A
715a		SS/4 (Sc#712–15)		

HONG KONG		23 November 2015 (Hong Kong 2015 Intl. Stamp Exh) (SS/1 & Bklt/3)		
1750	\$20	Stylized fish		S
1750a		Bklt/3 (Sc#1682a, Sc#1749–50)		
ICELAND		18 February 2016 (Icelandic Foods) (s/a)		
1397	(180k)	U/I fish		U
28 April 2016 (Europa) (Set/2 & Bklt/10)				
1410	(240k)	Atlantic Cod, <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Gadidae	A
1412	(240k)	Atlantic Cod, <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Gadidae	A
1412a		Bklt/10 (Sc#1412)		
IRAN		10 August 2014 (New Year) (SS/1)		
3127	SS 10000r	Stylized fish		S
IRELAND		16 July 2015 (Food Production) (Horiz Pair & SS/4)		
2082	€1.05	U/I fish (with fisherman)		U B
2083a		Horiz pair (Sc#2082–83)		
2083b		SS/4 (Sc#2080–83)		
ISRAEL		9 February 2015 (Turtles) (Block/4)		
2096c	2.30s	U/I fish		U
ITALY		3 July 2015 (Expo 2015 Milan) (MS/15) (s/a)		
3320b	80c	U/I fish head		U
12 August 2015 (Botanical Gardens Type of 2012) (Set/4) (s/a)				
3326	95c	U/I fish (Asinara National Park)		U
JAPAN		12 May 2015 (60th anniv. Yamaguchi Local Autonomy Law) (MS/5)		
3824b	82¥	Stylized Goldfish (lantern)		S
23 July 2015 (Letter Writing Day) (Bklt/10)				
3849	82¥	Stylized Carp (streamer)		S
3849a		Bklt/10 (Sc#3840–48)		
4 September 2015 (Greetings) (3ea MS/10)				
3923a	52¥	Sea Bream, <i>Diplodus</i> sp.	Sparidae	U A
3924a	82¥	Sea Bream, <i>Diplodus</i> sp.	Sparidae	U A
3925a	92¥	Sea Bream, <i>Diplodus</i> sp.	Sparidae	U A
16 September 2015 (Okinawa Fish) (Prefecture Type of 2007) (Strip/5)				
3929	82¥	Whale Shark, <i>Rhincodon typus</i>	Rhincodontidae	A
3930	82¥	Longfin Bannerfish, <i>Heniochus acuminatus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A
3931	82¥	False Clownfish, <i>Amphiprion ocellaris</i>	Pomacentridae	A
3932	82¥	Blue Damselfish, <i>Chrysiptera cyanea</i>	Pomacentridae	A
3933	82¥	Manta Ray, <i>Manta</i> sp.	Myliobatidae	U A
KOREA (North)		21 December 2013 (Paintings) (Set/5)		
5231	50w	Carp, <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> ("Carp" by Jo Sok Jin)	Cyprinidae	S A
25 January 2014 (Ceramics) (Bklt/2+6 labels)				
5243a	label	Fish in label?		U
11 May 2014 (Fish & Shellfish) (Set/4 & Bklt/4)				
5276	50w	Rosy Bitterling, <i>Rhodeus ocellatus ocellatus</i>	Cyprinidae	A
5277	70w	Half-lined Cardinal, <i>Apogon semilineatus</i>	Apogonidae	A
5278	90w	Longspined Porcupinefish, <i>Diodon holocanthus</i>	Diodontidae	A
5279	110w	Lumpsucker, <i>Cyclopterus lumpus</i>	Cyclopteridae	A
5279a		Bklt/4 (Sc#5276–79)		

KOREA (South)		27 February 2015 (Constellations) (MS/16) (s/a)	
2438d	300w	Pisces (fish)	S
KUWAIT		11 November 2014 (International Autism Conference) (Sheet/10)	S
1732f	50f	Stylized fish in net of fisherman	
		15 March 2015 (Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research) (Sheet/10)	
1749e	50f	U/I fish	U
LATVIA		6 March 2015 (Fossils)	
905	71c	no common name, <i>Asterolepis ornata</i>	†Asterolepididae A
		21 April 2015 (Signs of the Zodiac) (MS/12)	
916l	50c	Pisces	S
MACAO		5 May 2015 (Wetlands Wildlife) (Block/4 or Strip/4)	
1441b	3p	Great Blue-spotted Mudskipper, <i>Boleophthalmus pectinirostris</i>	Gobiidae A
		31 July 2015 (Water & Life) (Block/4)	
1450b	3p	Goldfish, <i>Carassius auratus</i> (technician with test tube)	Cyprinidae B
		28 April 2016 (Paintings of Macao by Cha Chi Vai)	
1479	SS 12p	Fishermen, boats, and nets	R
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		9 October 2014 (Green Turtle)	
1637	1500a	Various U/I fish	U
MALAWI		25 April 2014 (Lake Malawi) (Set/10 & SS/10)	
792	840k	Cichlids	Cichlidae U
793	860k	U/I fish	U
794a		SS/10 (Sc#785–94)	
MALAYSIA		13 April 2015 (Endangered Marine Life) (Set/3)	
1542	60c	Pointed Sawfish, <i>Anoxypristes cuspidata</i>	Pristidae A
MALDIVE ISLANDS		1 April 2014 (Sharks) (MS/4 & SS/1)	
3142a	20r	Thresher Shark, <i>Alopias vulpinus</i>	Alopiidae A
3142b	20r	Tiger Shark, <i>Galeocerdo cuvier</i>	Carcharhinidae A
3142c	20r	Black Tip Shark, <i>Carcharhinus limbatus</i>	Carcharhinidae A
3142d	20r	Spiny Dogfish, <i>Squalus acanthias</i>	Squalidae A
3152	SS 60r	Shortfin Mako, <i>Isurus oxyrinchus</i>	Lamnidae A
		1 April 2014 (Deep Water Creatures) (MS/4 & SS/1)	
3150b	22r	Common Fangtooth, <i>Anoplogaster cornuta</i>	Anoplogastridae A
3150c	22r	Half-naked Hatchetfish, <i>Argyropelecus hemigymnus</i>	Sternopychidae A
3160	SS 70r	<i>Chaunax</i> sp.	Chaunacidae A
		7 May 2014 (50th anniv. Red List of Endangered Animals) (MS/4)	
3165c	20r	Knysna Seahorse, <i>Hippocampus capensis</i>	Syngnathidae A
		3 July 2014 (Painting by Frans Halls the Elder) (MS/4)	
3209a	22r	“Fisher Boy”	R
3209d	22r	“Fisher Girl”	R
		15 December 2014 (Pelicans) (MS/4 & SS/1)	
3260a	20r	U/I green fish	U
3260b	20r	U/I fish	U
3260d	20r	U/I orange fish	U
3270	SS 60r	U/I fish	U

MARSHALL ISLANDS

1129g 49c Sharks & Lowakalle Reef

5 November 2015 (Legends) (Block/8)

U B

3 March 2016 (Wildlife) (MS/10)1133h 49c Grouper
1133i 49c Manta Ray, *Manta birostris*
1133j 49c TunaSerranidae
Myliobatidae
ScombridaeU A
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U A**MAURITANIA**845 100um Giant African Threadfin, *Polydactylus quadrifilis*
846 100um Sea Trout, *Salmo trutta*
847 220um Black Mullet, *Mugil cephalus*
848 280um Atlantic Horse Mackerel, *Trachurus trachurus*
849 370um Zebra Sea Bream, *Diplodus cervinus*
851 440um Red Mullet, *Mullus barbatus barbatus*Polynemidae
Salmonidae
Mugilidae
Carangidae
Sparidae
MullidaeA
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A**MICRONESIA**1135 26c Scalloped Hammerhead Shark, *Sphyraena lewini*
1136 49c Oceanic Whitetip Shark, *Carcharhinus longimanus*
1137 \$1.15 Tiger Shark, *Galeocerdo cuvier*
1138 \$3 Gray Reef Shark, *Carcharhinus amblyrhynchos*Sphyrnidae
Carcharhinidae
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A**1 April 2015** (Marine Life) (Set/5)1146 1c Achilles Surgeonfish, *Acanthurus achilles*
1148 4c Spotted Eagle Ray, *Aetobatus narinari*Acanthuridae
MyliobatidaeA
A**MOLDOVA**

864 \$1.75 Stylized fish (child's drawing by Crisina Isacov)

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MONACO

2807 76c Numerous U/I fish

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5 February 2016 (Fish)2833 €1.60 Brown Meagre, *Sciaena umbra*

Sciaenidae

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MONTSERRAT1359 Margin Top: Three stylized fish (tuna, manta, sea bass)
1360 SS \$7 Top: Three stylized fish (tuna, manta, sea bass)S Z
S**24 March 2015** (Leatherback Sea Turtle) (MS/4 & SS/1)1363a \$3.25 Longsnout Seahorse, *Hippocampus reidi* (two)
1363b \$3.25 Lined Seahorse, *Hippocampus erectus* (with sea grass)
1363c \$3.25 Lined Seahorse, *Hippocampus erectus*
1363d \$3.25 Longsnout Seahorse, *Hippocampus reidi* (two with coral)
1364 SS \$7 Dwarf Seahorse, *Hippocampus zosterae*Syngnathidae
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SyngnathidaeA
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A**NAMIBIA**

1294 (\$5.70) U/I fish (in kingfisher beak)

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19 August 2015 (Sharks) (Set/4)1316 \$5.70 Bronze Whale Shark, *Carcharhinus brachyurus*
1317 (\$6.40) Broadnose Sevengill Shark, *Notorynchus cepedianus*
1318 \$6.60 Great White Shark, *Carcharodon carcharias*
1319 \$7.70 Smooth Hammerhead Shark, *Sphyraena zygaena*Carcharhinidae
Hexanchidae
Lamnidae
SphyraenidaeA
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NETHERLANDS					
28 April 2015 (Flora & Fauna) (MS/10 & Bklt/2)					
1494j	(69c)	Northern Pike, <i>Esox lucius</i> (perf 13½×12¾)	Esocidae	A	
1494t	(69c)	Northern Pike, <i>Esox lucius</i> (perf 14½×14¾)	Esocidae	A	
1494u		Bklt/2 (Sc#1494s–t)			
12 October 2015 (Rotterdam Maritime Museum) (MS/10 & Bklt/2)					
1502b	(69c)	Fishing boat (no fish) (perf 13½×12¾)		R	
1502l	(69c)	Fishing boat (no fish) (perf 14½)		R	
1502v		Bklt/2 (Sc#1502l–m)			
2 November 2015 (Children's Book Illustrations) (MS/6)					
B768	Margin	Bot: Stylized fish		S Z	
NEW CALEDONIA					
5 June 2015 (Children's Art)					
1194	75fr	Stylized fish ("Wildlife" by Eliot-Louis Hatterer)		S	
5 November 2015 (Turtles) (MS/4)					
1203a	110fr	Manta Ray, <i>Manta birostris</i> (with other fish)	Myliobatidae	B	
1203b	110fr	U/I fish		U B	
1203c	110fr	Moorish Idol, <i>Zanclus cornutus</i> (with other fish)	Zanclidae	B	
1203d	110fr	U/I fish		U B	
NEW ZEALAND					
1 July 2015 (Popular New Zealand Foods) (MS/18)					
25931	80c	Whitebait fritters		R	
NIGER					
30 September 2013 (Whales) (SS/1)					
1306	SS 2500fr	Small U/I fish (also in Bot margin)		U Z	
20 December 2013 (Tropical Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)					
1332a	750fr	Copperbanded Butterflyfish, <i>Chelmon rostratus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A	
1332b	750fr	Empress Angelfish, <i>Pygoplites diacanthus</i>	Pomacanthidae	A	
1332c	750fr	Threadfin Butterflyfish, <i>Chaetodon auriga</i>	Chaetodontidae	A	
1332d	750fr	Clown Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion ocellaris</i>	Pomacentridae	A	
1355	SS 2500fr	Longfin Bannerfish, <i>Heniochus acuminatus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A	
NORWAY					
15 April 2015 (Photos by Anders Beer Wilse) (Set/3)					
1767	16k	Cod, <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Gadidae	A	
15 April 2016 (Cities) (Set/4)					
1791	11k	Fisherman statue (Grimstad)		R	
15 April 2016 (Nordic Food Culture) (Set/2 & SS/2)					
1796	14k	Atlantic Cod, <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Gadidae	B	
1796a		SS/2 (Sc#1795–96)			
PHILIPPINES					
24 August 2015 (Teresita Reyes Restauranteur) (Strip/3)					
3620a	10p	Stylized fish (with fruits & vegetables)		S	
3620b	10p	Stylized fish (with basket)		S	
PITCAIRN ISLANDS					
24 June 2015 (Ben Christian) (Horiz Strip/4+label)					
796c	\$2.10	U/I fish (with Ben Christian)		U B	
PORTUGAL					
20 July 2015 (Mediterranean Diet) (Set/4)					
3721	45c	U/I fish (food dish)		U B	
17 September 2015 (Portugal's Use of the Sea) (Set/4)					
3741	62c	Stylized fish (with fishing boat & net)		S C	

ST. KITTS

31 December 2014 (Tropical Fish) (2ea MS/4 & 2ea SS/1)				
900a	\$3.25	French Angelfish, <i>Pomacanthus paru</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
900b	\$3.25	Queen Parrotfish, <i>Scarus vetula</i>	Scaridae	A
900c	\$3.25	Rock Beauty, <i>Holacanthus tricolor</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
900d	\$3.25	Spotted Drum, <i>Equetus punctatus</i>	Sciaenidae	A
901a	\$3.25	Fairy Basslet (Royal Gramma), <i>Gramma loreto</i>	Grammatidae	A
901b	\$3.25	Four-eyed Butterflyfish, <i>Chaetodon capistratus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A
901c	\$3.25	Glasseseye Snapper, <i>Heteropriacanthus cruentatus</i>	Priacanthidae	A
901d	\$3.25	Spotted Eagle Ray, <i>Aetobatus narinari</i>	Myliobatidae	A
902	SS \$10	Queen Angelfish, <i>Holacanthus ciliaris</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
903	SS \$10	Smooth Trunkfish, <i>Lactophrys triqueter</i>	Ostraciidae	A

24 March 2015 (Marine Life of Taiwan) (MS/6)

906a	\$3.15	Warty Frogfish, <i>Antennarius maculatus</i>	Antennariidae	A
906c	\$3.15	Bluering Angelfish, <i>Pomacanthus annularis</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
906d	\$3.15	Maroon Clownfish, <i>Amphiprion tricinctus</i>	Pomacentridae	A

ST. MARTIN**14 October 2015** (Fish) (Block/10)

73a	25c	Talking Catfish, <i>Acanthodoras spinosissimus</i>	Doradidae	A
73b	50c	Bigeye Cichlid, <i>Acaronia nassa</i>	Cichlidae	A
73c	75c	no common name, <i>Acestrorhynchus falcatus</i>	Acestrorhynchidae	A
73d	100c	Midas Cichlid, <i>Amphilophus citrinellus</i>	Cichlidae	A
73e	150c	Emerald Catfish, <i>Brochis (Corydoras) splendens</i>	Callichthyidae	A
73f	250c	no common name, <i>Erythrinus erythrinus</i>	Erythrinidae	A
73g	350c	Splash Tetra, <i>Copella arnoldi</i>	Lebiasinidae	A
73h	400c	Glass Headstander, <i>Charax gibbosus</i>	Characidae	A
73i	500c	Green Discus, <i>Sympodus aequifasciatus</i>	Cichlidae	A
73j	600c	Redtail Catfish, <i>Phractocephalus hemiolopterus</i>	Pimelodidae	A

9 December 2015 (Pilioko Paintings) (Vert Strip/4)

75a	275c	Stylized fish	S
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ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON**28 March 2015** (Fishing Trawler)

1011	€1.05	Fishing trawler <i>Victor Plevén</i> (no fish)	R
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19 February 2016 (Fishing Boat)

1023	80c	Fishing boat & equipment	R
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18 March 2016 (Fishing Trawler)

1024	€1.10	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R
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ST. THOMAS & PRINCE IS.**8 August 2014** (Eagles) (MS/4)

2676c	25000d	U/I fish (in eagle's talon)	U C
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8 August 2014 (Turtles) (SS/1)

2696	SS 96000d	U/I reef fish with sea turtle	U C
	Margin	Top: U/I fish with sea turtle	U C
	MR:	U/I reef fish	U C
	Bot:	Small U/I reef fish	U C

15 October 2014 (Kingfishers) (MS/4 & SS/1)

2763a	25000d	U/I small fish in kingfisher's beak	U C
2763d	25000d	U/I small fish in kingfisher's beak	U C
2783	SS 98000d	R: U/I small fish in kingfisher's beak	U C

ST. THOMAS & PRINCE IS. (cont) 15 October 2014 (Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)

2765a	25000d	Bandwing Flyingfish, <i>Cheilopogon exsiliens</i>	Exocoetidae	A
2765b	25000d	Spotted Boxfish, <i>Ostracion cubicus</i>	Ostraciidae	A
2765c	25000d	Mandarinfish, <i>Synchiropus splendidus</i>	Callionymidae	A
2765d	25000d	Golden Arowana, <i>Scleropages formosus</i>	Osteoglossidae	A
2785	SS 96000d	Siamese Fighting Fish, <i>Betta splendens</i>	Belontiidae	A
	Margin	R: Golden Arowana, <i>Scleropages formosus</i>	Osteoglossidae	Z

17 November 2014 (Turtles) (SS/1)

2826	SS 96000d	Bot: U/I reef fish		U Z
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16 March 2015 (Taipei 2015 Intl. Stamp Expo) (MS/4 & SS/1)

2833	Margin	UL: Three stylized fish in Taipei 2015 logo		S Z
2834	SS 38000d	UL: Three stylized fish in Taipei 2015 logo		S Z

21 May 2015 (Singapore 2015 Intl. Stamp Expo) (MS/4 & SS/1)

2873a	15000d	Giant Trevally, <i>Caranx ignobilis</i>	Carangidae	A
2873b	15000d	Redfish, <i>Centroberyx affinis</i>	Berycidae	A
2873c	15000d	Sling-jaw Wrasse, <i>Epibulus insidiator</i>	Labridae	A
2873d	15000d	Ribboned Sweetlips, <i>Plectorhinchus polytaenia</i>	Haemulidae	A
2874	SS 38000d	Blackspot Tuskfish, <i>Choerodon schoenleinii</i>	Labridae	A

21 May 2015 (Dolphins) (MS/4)

2879	Margin	UL: Hammerhead Shark, <i>Sphyrna</i> sp.	Sphyrnidae	Z
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21 May 2015 (Manatees) (MS/4)

2880	Margin	UL: Hammerhead Shark, <i>Sphyrna</i> sp.	Sphyrnidae	Z
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21 May 2015 (Piranhas) (MS/4)

2886a	19000d	no common name, <i>Pristobrycon careospinus</i>	Serrasalmidae	A
2886b	19000d	Lobetoothed Piranha, <i>Pygopristis denticulata</i>	Serrasalmidae	A
2886c	19000d	Redeye Piranha, <i>Serrasalmus rhombeus</i>	Serrasalmidae	A
2886d	19000d	Red Piranha, <i>Pygocentrus nattereri</i>	Serrasalmidae	A
2904	SS 86000d	no common name, <i>Pristobrycon striolatus</i>	Serrasalmidae	A

21 May 2015 (Turtles) (MS/4)

2888	Margin	UL: Hammerhead Shark, <i>Sphyrna</i> sp.	Sphyrnidae	Z
2906	SS 86000d	LL: Moray Eel	Muraenidae	Z
	Margin	Bkgrd: Small U/I reef fish		U Z

18 November 2015 (Endangered Turtle) (SS/1)

2989	SS 96000d	Bot: U/I reef fish		U Z
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29 December 2015 (Dolphins) (MS/4)

3009	Margin	Bkgrd: Small U/I reef fish		U Z
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ST. VINCENT 31 December 2015 (Dolphins) (MS/4 & SS/1)

4038	Margin	Bot: Small U/I reef fish		U Z
4039	\$10	Small U/I reef fish		U C

SAMOA 16 March 2015 (Endangered Marine Life) (Strip/3+3 labels)

1206a	\$6.25	Brown-marbled Grouper, <i>Epinephelus fuscoguttatus</i>	Serranidae	A
1206c	\$45	Whale Shark, <i>Rhincodon typus</i>	Rhincodontidae	A

SLOVAKIA 9 October 2015 (Nature Protection) (SS/2+5 labels)

723	Label	Brown Trout, <i>Salmo trutta</i>	Salmonidae	
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3 November 2015 (Child's Drawing)

726	45c	Stylized fish		S
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SLOVENIA	9 July 2015 (Tuna Fishermen in Tonera)			
1135	64c	Tuna	Scombridae	U B
	6 July 2016 (Fish)			
1187	64c	European Pilchard, <i>Sardina pilchardus</i>	Clupeidae	A
SOLOMON ISLANDS	24 May 2015 (Singapore 2015 World Stamp Expo) (SS/1)			
1769	SS \$20	Asia Arowana, <i>Scleropages formosus</i>	Osteoglossidae	A
	26 June 2015 (Coral Reef Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)			
1816a	\$12	Undulate Triggerfish, <i>Balistapus undulatus</i>	Balistidae	A
1816b	\$12	Seahorse, <i>Hippocampus</i> sp.	Syngnathidae	A
1816c	\$12	Clown Triggerfish, <i>Balistoides conspicillum</i>	Balistidae	A
1816d	\$12	Foureye Butterflyfish, <i>Chaetodon capistratus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A
1836	SS \$40	Bluelined Snapper, <i>Lutjanus kasmira</i>	Lutjanidae	A
	1 November 2015 (Anemonefish) (Set/9)			
1926	\$5	Pink Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion perideraion</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1927	\$10	Orange Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion sandaracinus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1928	\$15	White-bonnet Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion leucokranos</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1929	\$20	Clownfish, <i>Amphiprion</i> sp.	Pomacentridae	A
1930	\$25	Saddle-back Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion polymnus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1931	\$30	Clark's Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion clarkii</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1932	\$35	Orange-fin Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion chrysopterus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1933	\$40	Red-and-black Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion melanopus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
1934	\$45	Spinecheek Anemonefish, <i>Amphiprion biaculeatus</i>	Pomacentridae	A
	30 November 2015 (WWF) (Horiz Strip/4, SS/4, MS/8+label, SS/1)			
1935a	\$7	Humpback Grouper, <i>Cromileptes altivelis</i> (three fish)	Serranidae	A
1935b	\$7	Same species (one fish)	Serranidae	A
1935c	\$7	Same species (one fish)	Serranidae	A
1935d	\$7	Same species (two fish)	Serranidae	A
1935e	SS/4 (Sc#1935a-d)			
1935f	MS/8+ label (2ea Sc#1935a-d)			
1936	SS \$40	Humpback Grouper, <i>Cromileptes altivelis</i> (also in margin)	Serranidae	A
	30 November 2015 (70th anniv. United Nations) (MS/4)			
1937d	\$7	Stylized Seahorse & Shark on coat of arms		S
	30 November 2015 (Renoir Paintings) (MS/4)			
1946c	\$7	"The Fisherman and Self Portrait"		R
	30 November 2015 (Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)			
1950a	\$7	Balloonfish, <i>Diodon holocanthus</i>	Diodontidae	A
1950b	\$7	Yellowband Sweetlips, <i>Plectrohinchus lineatus</i>	Haemulidae	A
1950c	\$7	Clown Triggerfish, <i>Balistoides conspicillum</i>	Balistidae	A
1950d	\$7	Cichlid, <i>Amphilophus</i> sp. (hybrid)	Cichlidae	A
1969	SS \$40	Rainbow Trout, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	Salmonidae	A
	30 November 2015 (Whales) (SS/1)			
1967	SS \$40	R: Various U/I fish		U Z
	13 May 2016 (Reef Fish) (MS/4 & SS/1)			
1989a	\$7	Queen Angelfish, <i>Holocanthus ciliaris</i>	Pomacanthidae	A
1989b	\$7	Lionfish, <i>Pterois volitans</i>	Scorpaenidae	A
1989c	\$7	Clown Triggerfish, <i>Balistoides conspicillum</i>	Balistidae	A

SOLOMON ISLANDS (continued)

1989d	\$7	Copperband Butterflyfish, <i>Chelmon rostratus</i>	Chaetodontidae	A
2014	SS \$35	Emperor Angelfish, <i>Pomacanthus imperator</i>	Pomacanthidae	A

13 May 2016 (Turtles) (MS/4 & SS/1)

1993b	\$7	U/I fish	U C
2018	SS \$35	U/I fish	U C

SOUTH AFRICA**12 August 2015 (Jellyfish) (MS/10)**

1547	Margin	UR & Bot: U/I fish	U Z
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S. GEORGIA & S. SANDWICH IS. 21 June 2015 (Last British Steam Trawler) (Set/4 & SS/1)

534	70p	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R
535	70p	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R
536	80p	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R
537	\$1.25	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R
538	SS \$2.50	Fishing trawler (no fish)	R

21 December 2015 (Biodiversity) (Set/6)

C9	70p	Crested Bigscale, <i>Poromitra crassiceps</i>	Melamphaidae	A
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SPAIN 21 July 2015 (Protected Animals) (Block/4)

4060d	55c	Sturgeon	Acipenseridae	U
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SURINAM 25 November 2015 (Van Reijen Intl. Agencies) (SS/2) (s-o-s)

1490b	\$6	Lantern Bass, <i>Serranus baldwini</i> (Surinam 2013 stamp)	Serranidae	A
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18 May 2015 (Fish) (Block/12)

1495a	\$1.50	Lake Sturgeon, <i>Acipenser fulvescens</i>	Acipenseridae	A
1495b	\$1.75	White Sturgeon, <i>Acipenser transmontanus</i>	Acipenseridae	A
1495c	\$2.50	Bowfin, <i>Amia calva</i>	Amiidae	A
1495d	\$2.75	Alligator Gar, <i>Atractosteus spatula</i>	Lepisosteidae	A
1495e	\$3.50	American Brook Lamprey, <i>Lampetra (Lethenteron) appendix</i>	Petromyzontidae	A
1495f	\$3.75	Spotted Gar, <i>Lepisosteus oculatus</i>	Lepisosteidae	A
1495g	\$4.50	Cutthroat Trout, <i>Oncorhynchus clarkii</i>	Salmonidae	A
1495h	\$4.75	Coho Salmon, <i>Oncorhynchus kisutch</i>	Salmonidae	A
1495i	\$5.50	Sockeye Salmon, <i>Oncorhynchus nerka</i>	Salmonidae	A
1495j	\$5.75	Chinook Salmon, <i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>	Salmonidae	A
1495k	\$6.50	Paddlefish, <i>Polyodon spathula</i>	Polyodontidae	A
1495l	\$7.25	Pallid Sturgeon, <i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	Acipenseridae	A

SWEDEN 17 March 2016 (International Foods) (Coil & Bklt/10)

2771	13k	Three U/I fish (herring?) (Nordic Foods) (coil)	U C
2772b	7k	U/I fish (Japanese sushi)	U C
2772		Vert Strip/5 (Sc#2772a-e)	
2772f	7k	Bklt/10 (2ea Sc#2772a-e)	

5 May 2016 (Vacation Activities) (coil) (s/a)

2775	6k	Fisherman with pole (no fish)	R
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TOKELAU 13 October 2015 (Tokelau Language Week) (2ea MS/5)

446b	45c	Two tackle boxes	R
447b	\$1.40	Seven fish	S
447e	\$1.40	Ten fish hooks	R

TONGA	1 April 2015 (Seahorse) (Set/4) (surch)			
1262	90s	Thorny Seahorse, <i>Hippocampus histrix</i> (Sc#1175 surch)	Syngnathidae	A
1263	1pa	Same species (Sc#1176 surch)	Syngnathidae	A
1264	1.10pa	Same species (Sc#1173 surch)	Syngnathidae	A
1265	1.20pa	Same species (Sc#1174 surch)	Syngnathidae	A
TONGA (Niuafo'ou)	1 April 2015 (Shark) (Set/4) (surch)			
324	90s	Zebra Shark, <i>Stegostoma fasciatum</i> (Sc#271 surch)	Stegostomatidae	A
325	1pa	Same species (Sc#272 surch)	Stegostomatidae	A
326	1.10pa	Same species (Sc#273 surch)	Stegostomatidae	A
327	1.20pa	Same species (Sc#274 surch)	Stegostomatidae	A
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	17 June 2015 (Women's Museum) (Horiz Strip/5)			
1133a	3d	U/I fish with woman fish seller		U B
UNITED STATES	2 August 2016 (Pets) (Bklt/20)			
5107	(47c)	Siamese Fighting Fish, <i>Betta splendens</i>	Belontiidae	A
5110	(47c)	Goldfish, <i>Carassius auratus</i>	Cyprinidae	A
5125a		Bklt/20 (Sc#5106–25)		
UZBEKISTAN	22 January 2016 (Fauna) (Set/4)			
796	1500s	Sea Trout, <i>Salmo trutta oxianus</i>	Salmonidae	A
VANUATU	28 October 2015 (Restaurants) (Set/4)			
1091	120v	U/I fish head		U C

PETS

On 2 August 2016, the United States Postal Service issued a double-sided booklet of 20 plus a label (Sc#5125a) depicting various types of pets commonly kept by people. The booklet has 12 stamps on one side (Sc#5106–17) and eight stamps on the other side (Sc#5118–25).

The self-adhesive forever (47c) stamps (the USPS calls them pressure-sensitive) were designed by Derry Noyes and printed by Ashton-Potter (USA), Ltd. A total of 400 million stamps were printed.



Sc#5107 shows a Siamese Fighting Fish (*Betta splendens*). These are popular aquarium fish that are very territorial. Males will invariably fight each other if housed together and even the females can be territorial if they are not kept in a large enough tank.

The fish are native to the Mekong River area in Southeast Asia and are found in standing water of canals and rice paddies. Aquarium specimens are known for their brilliant colors and large fins. Natural specimens are typically dull green, brown, or grey and have smaller fins.

They feed on the larvae of mosquitos and other water insects as well as crustaceans and zooplankton.